Upon motion of Senator Henderson, the joint assembly adjourns without day.

The Senate returns to its Chamber.

Senator Mann introduces, by consent, S. B. 306, bill to establish graded schools in the village and township of Swan Quarter in the county of Hyde. Bill is read the first time and referred to Committee on Education.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

A message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting bills and resolutions, which are read the first time and disposed of as follows:

- H. B. 233, S. B. 307, bill to create and establish a free school district at Carbonton, to be composed of a portion of the counties of Moore and Chatham. Referred to Committee on Education.
- H. B. 419, S. B. 308, bill to allow Commissioners of Montgomery county to sell part of jail lot. Referred to Committee on Counties, Cities and Towns.
- H. B. 212, S. B. 309, bill for the relief of Walter Gardner, a white public school-teacher. Referred to Committee on Education.
- H. B. 323, S. B. 310, bill to protect fish in Elk river, Watauga county. Referred to Committee on Fish and Fisheries.
- H. B. 326, S. B. 311, bill to amend chapter 318, Laws of 1889, compelling butchers to keep registration. Referred to the Judiciary Committee.
- H. B. 328, S. B. 312, bill to establish free school district at the county line between Moore and Harnett. Referred to Committee on Education.
- H. B. 349, S. B. 313, bill for the relief of sheriffs and tax collectors. Referred to Committee on Finance.
 - H. B. 327, S. B. 314, bill to exempt Jacob Williams of